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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
2. ☒ Specification and Drawings [Total Pages 31]  
 - Specification - (17 pages)  
 - Claims - (2 pages)  
 - Abstract - (1 page)  
 - Sheets of Drawings - (11 sheets)  
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3. ☐ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages ]  
 a. ☐ Newly executed (original)  
 b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
*(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)*  
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4. ☐ Incorporation by Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked)  
 The entire Disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
5. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
6. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
☐ Computer Readable Copy  
☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
☐ Statement verifying identify of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)  
☐ Power of Attorney
8. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
9. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  
☐ Copies of IDS Citations
10. ☐ Preliminary Amendment  
☐ Drawings [Total Sheets ]  
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11. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
12. ☒ Small Entity Statement(s)  
☒ Statements filed in prior application, (Status still proper and desired)
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14. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s)  
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application.
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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application Serial No. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.  
 Priority to the above application(s) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.  
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